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1. Twenty-two twin-engine aircraft, a four-engine plane, and three fighter planes were observed at the ORANIENBURG (N 53/2 67) airfield (see Annex 1).
2. A SE-NW runway was under construction; its southeastern section was completed. Three concrete mixing machines were used for the construction work.

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Comment:

Report confirmed previous information on the construction of a SE-NW runway. A bomber regiment was apparently located at the field. This regiment was transferred to COTTBUS in early September 1949. The presence of a four-engine aircraft was reported for the first time.

Annex : 1. Airfield of ORANIENBURG

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